FAIRBANKS, THOUGH MISUNDERSTOOD, IS A GREAT POWER IN NATIONAL LIFE

d career of Vice President Fairbanks follows:

'Ill is doubtful if any public man set was so cruelly injured by fantastic bear is Charles W. Fairbanks.

'James G. Blaine was made to suffrom the artist who lampooned him a the tattooed man. He lived down he he and became his party's caudine for the Presidency in spite of it. Is was defeated in New York through a mortunate faction fight and not mough the merciless lie which had seed him for years.

'Mark Hanna became most familiar the country through the cartoons hich pictured him incased in dollar-ark raiment. There was a time when an unscrupulous, purse proud parmu. He lived down the lie and he ad one of the most popular men in ed one of the most popular men in a United States. The people came to the billion of the was bluff, arty, bonest, indefatigable and a

arty, honest, interargate and a rming companion. President Roosevelt has never suffered from the pictures of his big th, and the big stick, which was origited to do him injury, has become his of arms, and in this sign he con-

Fairbanks Most Genial Man.

But Vice President Fairbanks was But Vice President Pairbanks was de the victim of an irresponsible ibbler, and to this day the great as of people have accepted as true fantastic falsehood, the origin of ich is so obscure that it cannot be red. How any man ever came to aribe Charles Warren Fairbanks as soribe Charles Warren Fairbanks as ne driver of an ice wagon, or as have gold feet, or as a sort of animated ack Frost, no one who knows him can omprehend. There are dozens and ores of men in public life to whom ach a description might apply, but it trainly does not fit the Vice-Presient, and never did fit him, so far as I in remember, and I have known him one he entered national politics, and rown him intimately.

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'Many public men have been the victims of some popular description, which has taken hold of the people, but in limost every case there was some exuse for it. Gen. Winfield Scott was alled ''Old Fuss and Feathers.'' Consupporary history shows there was a pool deal of reason for this, and the intue of the old general in the principal circle of Washington certainly nears out this idea.

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Roscoe Conkling was called by someody—it may have been Blaine—''Turee Cock.'' The name was an apt one
many respects. Conkling had an unmiable strut, and I remember how it
as commented upon when he led the
rant forces to glorious defeat in the
sicago convention of 1880.

Tom Reed Czar's Prototype.

Tom Reed had in his manner the eracy of an American exar. To who had even the slightest claim his intellectual friendship, he was a sest charming companion, but he could reeze a bore into the lowest depths of reeze a bore into the lowest depths of significance, and without the slightest arent effort.

Governor Hughes of New York is a critable north pole expedition all by inself when compared with the Vice-resident, and yet, after all, the Govfor's attitude is nothing but that of studious college professor called upon do big things under a magnifying

It is idle to attempt to trace the house story applied to Vice President irbanks. The last really great In-ina public man, Benjamin Harrison, s frequently described as cold-blood He deserved the epithet to some tent. From all I can learn, Fair-aks merely inherited this reputation. at be does not deserve it everybody Washington knows, and everybody ewhere in the country knows it who as ever come within the radius of his ersonality. If he has a fault, it is that and that his glad hand is always aded. That is a good fault, how-

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In a special article in a recent issue the Chicago Tribune, "Raymond" vice Presidential eye, from its commanding position in the upper strata of armosphere, frequently recognizes a friend or admirer at a great walker), the east front of the capitol. From that time on until the day of McKinley's manding position in the upper strata of atmosphere, frequently recognizes a friend or admirer at a great walker), the east front of the capitol. From that

Gamins Friends of Fairbanks. "There is none so humble that he does not receive an immediate response does not receive an immediate response to his salutation. The little newshoys and colored gamins along the way are all acquainted with this fact. Many a little darkey calls to another, "Dar goes the Vice Presidentum," and thereupon a whole school of them will range themselves along the sidewalk, and, although a majority of them have some sort of hazy idea that he is President Roosevelt's father, on account of his great height, they know that their salute will be returned in the most cordial fashion.

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'In his own house, in the Senate chamber, in his seat as the presiding officer, at his home in Indianapolis, and in every possible contingency of life, this Vice-President of ours is the pink of well-bred courtesy, amiable good nature, and consistent kindness.

'It may or may not be that the Vice-President will have a chance to go up higher. That is a thing for the delegates to the Republican convention to decide, and the sketches of the Presidential candidate I hope to write from time to time are to be entirely independent of political prospects, the idea being merely to describe these men as I have personally known them for the benefit of the public.

Great Pigure in Politics.

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"Whether the Vice-President wins the race or not, he has unquestionably the race or not, he has unquestionably filled a great place in the history of American statesmanship. He has been a force in Indiana Republicanism for nearly twenty years. For instance, he was chairman of the State convention in 1892. That was a dark year for the Republicans. There was nothing in it for an aspiring statesman at that time to become prominent in that party.

to become prominent in that party.

"Harrison had had a single term, and the tide was setting toward the Democrats once more. Cleveland was elected. in the fall of 1892 and the Democrats carried Indiana after a fashion.

carried Indiana after a fashion.
"The following winter Fairbanks was the Republican candidate for the Senate, the Republican candidate for the Senate for the Sen practically without opposition, in his own party. He was beaten by David Turpie, a brilliant Indiana lawyer, whose queer, squeaky speeches in the United States Senate read so well and "listened" so badly.

"By 1896 Fairbanks had become a

dominant factor in his own State from a political point of view. He led the McKinley element in Indiana and he McKinley element in Indians and he was temporary chairman of the convention at St. Louis which nominated McKinley for the Presidency. During that convention he was extremely close to Mark Hanns, to Foraker, and to others who were engaged in the difficult task of framing the gold plank on which the Republicans could safely appeal to the country.

the country. 'Four years later Mr. Fairbanks was 'Four years later Mr. Fairbanks was chairman of the committee on resolutions at the Philadelphia convention, and reported the platform, which had been drawn out almost entirely by Charles Emory Smith, who has but reently passed away. Four years ago at Chicago, when Roosevelt was nominated, Fairbanks was still a member of the convention and was chairman of the Indiana delegation. Indiana delegation

Leader in Republican Party.

"Beginning with his nomination to "Beginning with his nomination to the United States Senate in 1893 and concluding with his nomination as Vice-President in 1904 and his subsequent election on the ticket with Theodore Roosevelt; Mr. Fairbanks has been in timately associated with the policy of the Republican party. This is not a mere idle statement, nor a glittering generality, such as one sees in the campaign biographies. I happen to know that during the time preceding the declaration of war with Spain there was no man who was more closely in the confidence of the President than Charles Warren Fairbanks. he beams too | Warren Fairbanks.

"This statement is not at all extraordinary to those who are acquainted with the inside history of the first McKinley Under ordinary conditions the Vice-resident would melt almost any ice-in the Senate as the successor of Dan Woorhees on the same day that Me-aveis through the streets of Wash-Kinley took the oath of office at the

Every woman covets

many of them deplore the

shapely, pretty figure, and

loss of their girlish forms after marriage. The bearing of children is often destructive

to the mother's shapeliness.

All of this can be avoided,

was justified in vetoing that declaration, and, second, whether enough Republicans could be depended upon to prevent either one of the houses from passing the declaration of war over the veto of William McKinley.

"At 'the time when the conferences of this kind, involving, as they evidently did, the welfare and honor of the American nation, were of daily and

dently did, the welfare and honor of the American nation, were of daily and nightly occurrence, Senator Fairhanks was invarifiely a member even of the most select circle of the President's advisors. Furthermore, the most important of silt these conferences was held at Senator Fairbanks's house for the express purpose of avoiding the attention of the army of correspondents who were watching the White House. Vice-President Hobart, Mark Hanna, Senator Fairbanks, Senator Speoner and Senator Allison probably had more to do with defining the attitude of the administration at that critical time than any others except the President himself.

likely that Congress, carried away by the popular clamor, might declare war. The condition which had to be dis-cussed was, first, whether the President was justified in vetoing that declaration.

Advice Saves Nation's Honor.

Avoids Trouble With Canada.

"When the war was over, McKinley turned to Fairbanks just as naturally as before. There was a time when the questions in dispute between this coun-try and Canada became extremely aggravated. There was the fight over Newfoundland fisheries. There were the wrangles about the customs matters, and there were the serious disputes as to the fishing rights and boundary lines in the great lakes district. Overshadow ing all was the dangerous difference in regard to the boundary line of our Alas-kan possessions. Had not Canada and han possessions. Had not Cauada and the United States been bound by a com-mon language and more or less com-mon ancestry, there would have been dynamite enough in almost any of these disputes to provoke a war which would have made the opera bouffe affair with Spain a mere jungle between rival bat-talions of tin soldiers.

"At this juncture McKinley selected Senator Fairbanks as chairman of the American high commission, sto which was intrusted the delicate duty of adjusting our relations with Canada. We were confronted at that time with a dozen different serious questions. A peace treaty had to be agreed upon with Spain, no one knew what to do with the Philippines, and there was grave doubt whether order ever could be restaved in Cuba.

stored in Cuba.
"The high joint commission, of which Senator Fairbanks was the presiding American commissioner, did the best of all things in the world at that particular time, because it did nothing at all. It was the best possible diplomacy, because Canada had a serious case when issues were presented together, en in detail, they were comparaively easy of solution, and when the nited States won its case regarding he Alaskan boundary, for the integrity which Senator Fairbanks stood out om the start, there was nothing left o quarrel about.

McKinley Dead; Still Faithful.

"I shall not soon forget a little scene at Buffalo in 1901. I had just come from seeing Roosevelt take the eath of from seeing Roosevelt take the eath of office in the parlor of a friend's house down the avenue. Then I hurried back to the house surrounded by the gloomy guard of honor where McKinley lay dead. In the little reception-room on the ground floor there were three men who had not participated in the ceremony of seeing the new king erowned. They were busily engaged in going over the details for bringing the body of the dead President to Washington and for conducting the public funeral services

conducting the public funeral services in the rotunds of the capitol.

"They were bowed with grief over their work, and yet they were probably the three persons of all others who best represented the memory of the McKin-

represented the memory of the McKinlev administration because of their peculiar personal intimacy with the assassinated President. They were Senstor Mark Hanna, Senator Fairbanks
and Charles G. Dawes, the comptroller
of the currency.

"It has not been my purpose to write
a biographical sketch of the Vice-President. Anybody can get that out of an
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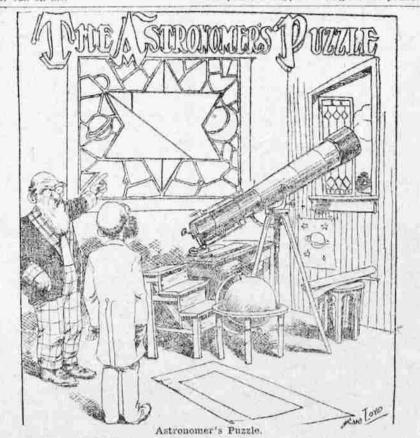
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